

QUARTER CENTURY WIRELESS ASSOCIATION

HOTLINE REPORT!

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QCWA Secretary, Jim Walsh, W7LVN, has announced that there have been no nominations by membership petition for the five offices of Director to be filled in the 1984 election.

QCWA HEADQUARTERS HAS RECEIVED A LARGE GIFT TO THE QCWA SILENT KEY MEMORIAL FUND. MRS. ROBERT S. CRESAP HAS MADE AN OUTRIGHT GIFT OF MORE THAN 5000 DOLLARS TO THE MEMORIAL FUND. THE GIFT PROVIDES THE ENTIRE FUNDING FOR A SCHOLARSHIP IN PERPETUITY TO BE ISSUED ANNUALLY IN THE NAME OF ROBERT S. CRESAP, W9LRI.

ROBERT BECAME A MEMBER OF QCWA ON NOVEMBER 4, 1968. HE WAS ISSUED THE QCWA GOLDEN CERTIFICATE ON JUNE 8, 1973. HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE CHICAGO AREA CHAPTER OF QCWA. HIS ORIGINAL CALL 8BRF, WAS ISSUED IN 1923. ROBERT PASSED AWAY DURING JUNE, 1983. THOSE WISHING TO MAKE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FUND IN HIS HONOR MAY DO SO BY SPECIFYING HIS NAME ON YOUR CONTRIBUTION. OUR THANKS GO TO MRS. CRESAP.

WE HAVE RECEIVED WORD FROM WADE HOLLAND, W4AZT, THAT HIS SURGERY HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED AND THAT HE WILL BE UNDERGOING EXERCISES TO GET FAMILIAR WITH HIS NEW KNEE. HE EXPECTS TO BE WORKING ALL OUT ON THE NEW "CHAPTER MANUAL" TO BE PREPARED BY QCWA SOON (SEE INSIDE, PAGE 2). CONGRATULATIONS, WADE, YOUR LETTER MADE US VERY HAPPY.

MR. RONNIE DURHAM, W5ATB, NOMINATED TO THE OFFICE OF DIRECTOR OF QCWA, HAS WITHDRAWN HIS NAME FROM THE LIST OF CANDIDATES. IN HIS LETTER OF WITHDRAWAL, RONNIE STATED THAT HAVING FOUR CANDIDATES NOMINATED FROM THE 5th DISTRICT MIGHT, IN HIS OPINION, LEAD TO IN-EQUITABLE REPRESENTATION ON THE BOARD.

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~~SPECIAL MESSAGE TO ALL QCWA CHAPTERS, PLEASE NOTE!~~

The Officers, Directors and Headquarters staff of QCWA are giving considerable thought as to how we can better serve our Chapters and QCWA Members.

One thing we have in mind is publication of a Chapter Manual which would guide present and future QCWA Chapter Officials in planning programs, maintaining interest in the Chapter and encouraging new memberships.

We feel that Chapter officers and members are probably our best source of input material for such a manual. It is proposed that the manual incorporate ideas and suggestions given by Chapters and members, and would include a sample constitution and by-laws as well as program ideas. In addition, comment by Chapters on success stories, things that have really worked...these would go a long way toward helping Chapters everywhere.

We would appreciate individual members and Chapter Officials talking over the matter and then writing to us to tell us of activities you and your chapter use to maintain member interest. We would also like to have a copy of your chapter constitution and by-laws and any other officer job descriptions you may have adopted.

A prompt reply will be helpful. We would like to have the material assembled in preliminary form for consideration of the Board of Directors at its April, 1984 meeting. If all goes well, the Chapter manual can be ready for distribution in the summer of 1984.

Material may be sent directly to me, or to Headquarters for distribution as you see fit.

Sincerely,

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ON THE PAGE OPPOSITE, WADE HOLLAND, W4AZT, REQUESTS INFORMATION ON WHAT MAKES A SUCCESSFUL CHAPTER SUCCESSFUL....GIVE HIM YOUR SECRET!

WE WOULD LIKE TO ALERT ALL MEMBERS THAT QCWA IS WORKING CONSTANTLY TO COMPLETE THE DETERMINATION OF THE FIRST YEAR OF LICENSING FOR EACH MEMBER. THIS INFORMATION WILL BE ADDED TO OUR DATABANK AND WILL BE PRINTED ON EACH MAILING LABEL TRANSMITTING YOUR REGULAR ISSUE OF QCWA NEWS. THE VERY FIRST SUCH LISTINGS WILL APPEAR ON THE SPRING NEWS LABELS, SO WATCH FOR THEM. THE FORMAT, SHOWN BELOW, WILL APPEAR....THE LAST NUMBER (TWO DIGIT) AT THE RIGHT END OF THE UPPER LINE DOES THE JOB. THE 29 INDICATING 1929.

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THE DATA ENTERED SO FAR (APPROXIMATELY 4000) HAS BEEN GLEANED FROM QCWA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS AND RECORDS. MORE THAN 8000 ADDITIONAL NAMES MUST BE CHECKED BEFORE THE JOB IS COMPLETE. IF YOUR DATE DOES NOT APPEAR, IT WILL SOON. IF YOU DISAGREE WITH THE DATE SHOWN, SEND PROOF OF THE CORRECT DATE, IT WILL BE CHANGED.

TO AVOID MISTAKES, PLEASE SEND ALL SILENT KEY REPORTS TO HQ AND INCLUDE THE FULL NAME, CALL SIGN, QCWA MEMBER NUMBER AND QTH. DATE OF DEATH AND PERSON MAKING THE REPORT ARE NECESSARY FOR VERIFICATION.

LIKEWISE, CHAPTER ELECTION RESULTS SHOULD ALWAYS INCLUDE THE FULL NAME, CALL SIGN AND COMPLETE ADDRESS OF THE SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE....AND, DON'T FORGET TO TELL US WHAT OFFICE HE WON!

NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION BLANKS WERE PUBLISHED ON THE BACK COVER OF THE WINTER, 1983 QCWA NEWS. USE THIS ONE ONLY. IF YOU NEED BLANKS, A CARD SENT TO HQ WILL BRING THEM IN RETURN MAIL.

THE 50-YEAR CONTINUOUSLY LICENSED GOLDEN AWARD IS AVAILABLE UPON PROOF OF ELIGIBILITY - SEE WINTER, 1983 QCWA NEWS, PAGE 101.

THE LATEST MEMBER TO JOIN QCWA IS:

Bernhard Kaiser, DJ3HW, Hoerstel-Bergeshoevede, FRG. HIS MEMBERSHIP NUMBER IS 17530. Bernhard is an electrical engineer and a philatelist! Welcome to QCWA!

QCWA HOTLINE REPORT IS AVAILABLE TO MEMBERS AT A COST OF \$6 PER YEAR. NO LESS THAN 10 ISSUES ANNUALLY. WRITE QCWA, INC. 1409 COOPER DR., IRVING, TX 75061, IF INTERESTED

THE QCWA ELECTION BALLOT WILL APPEAR IN THE SUMMER QCWA NEWS. AT THE SAME TIME WE WILL PUBLISH BIOGRAPHICAL MATERIAL AND A PICTURE OF EACH CANDIDATE NOMINATED. SEE HLR, VOL 6, No. 10, AND SPRING QCWA NEWS!



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